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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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**RENEWED SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.42 AND**  
**SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box PCT  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further to the "Decision on Papers Under 37 CFR 1.42" dated January 28, 2003, attached is a Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.42 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a).

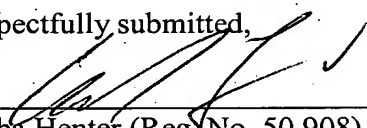
Also attached is a statement by the applicant in accord with 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a).

With respect to the allegation that application number 99-407,958, identified as the priority document, does not refer to an application filed on September 28, 2003, applicants note that a typographical error occurred on the Declaration. The correct number is 09-407,958, and it has a filing date of September 28, 2003. A copy of the filing receipt of 09-407,958 is attached.

If there are any informalities regarding this request, it is courteously requested that Counsel be telephoned so as to expeditiously resolve any unforeseen issues.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response, including the five-month extension fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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